

A Mint of the United States

At Philadelphia, *Sept 12*, 1887.

Sir:

Your remittance of the *Pch*
instant, \$ *50* —, for ~~One-Cent and~~ Five-Cent
Coins, as stated, has been received.

Your order will be filled, in its turn, in
several
about ~~one~~ week, and sooner if possible.

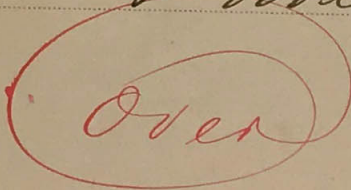
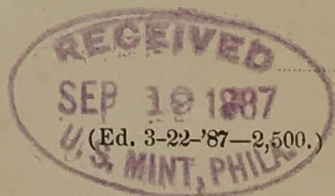
Respectfully,

DANIEL M. FOX,

Superintendent.

Per *W.K.*

To *A. J. Terwilliger* as
Muskegon County Bk.
Montague
Mich.



Montague, Mich., Sep. 15/87
Hon. Wm. Fox, Supt.,

Sir: It seems to me strange that it should require several weeks for the U.S. Mint at Philada to fill an order for \$5. in 5¢ pieces. Surely it ought not to be so; for when one orders small coins it is because he wants them & wants them at once to facilitate his business transactions & is not prepared to wait indefinitely for them & be out of the use of his money meantime. Seems to me the Mint ought to be in a situation to fill orders on day of receipt of funds to cover. I do not suppose this state of the Mint is from your fault, but fault of somebody it surely is.

Very Respectly W. H. Terwilliger Cashier

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Montague, Mich.

Sept. 5, 1887.

H. H. Servillier, Cash.

Complains of delay
in filling an order of
\$50. in 54 pieces.

Recd

Sept. 12, 1887.

NARA RG104, Entry 1, Box 147

[Abstract:] Complains of delay in filling an order of \$50 in 5¢ pieces.

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Mint of the United States
At Philadelphia,
September 12, 1887

Sir:

Your remittance of the 8th instant, \$50, for ~~One-cent and~~ Five-Cent Coins, as stated, has been received.

Your order will be filled, in its turn, in about ~~one~~ several weeks, and sooner if possible.

Respectfully,
Daniel M. Fox,
Superintendent.
Per McK.

To H.H. Terwilliger cas.
Muskegon County Bh.
Montague
Mich.

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Montague, Mich.
September 15, 1887

Hon. D.M. Fox, Supt.,

D. Sir:

It seems to us strange that it should require several weeks for the U.S. Mint at Philada. to fill an order for \$50 in 5¢ pieces. Surely it ought not to be so; for when one orders small coins it is because he wants them & wants them at once to facilitate his business transactions & is not prepared to wait indefinitely for them & the out of the use of his money meantime. Seems to me the Mint ought to be in a situation to fill orders on day of receipt of funds to cover. I do not suppose this state of the Mint is from your fault, but fault of somebody it surely is.

Very Respy.
H.H Terwilliger, Cashier